

AGENDA
SOUTH CENTRAL REGION 8 WORKFORCE BOARD, INC.
Wednesday, January 21, 2026
Noon to 1:30 PM Public Meeting

LOCATION: *Via Zoom Invite*

Welcome, Call to Order

Brenda Reetz, Chair

- a. Introductions – Welcome New Members
- b. Approval of 09/24/2025 Meeting Minutes*

Financial Reports

- a. Grant Breakdown and Current Standing of Remaining Funds Carla Crowe
- b. Revenue & Expense to Total Budget
- c. Power-Up, WRG and Home Pathway 6.0 Update Susan Neal
- d. Approval of Financial Reports*

Staff to the Board / One-Stop Operator Report

- a. Regional Plan Mid-Year Update (2024-2027) Rob King
- b. Regions Re-alignment Update
- c. Website Update
- d. Regional Grants Update Susan Neal
- e. Jag Update Sam Perkins

WorkOne Report

Don Kent

Other Business – Group Discussion- Good of the Order

All

Adjourn

Next Meeting: April 22, 2026 (In-Person with Zoom Option)

AGENDA BRIEFS
01/21/2026 South Central Region 8 Workforce Board, Inc. Meeting

The meeting will be called to order at 12:00 Noon and adjourn by 1:30 PM. This meeting is the second meeting of the Program Year 2025 (July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026). These briefs are intended to provide some background on the agenda items. Items marked with an *asterisk* and italics* require board action.

Welcome and Call to Order – Brenda Reetz, Board Chair will call the meeting to order.

Approval of 09/24/2025 Meeting Minutes* - The Board last met in September. The minutes of that meeting have been provided. Please read the minutes and let us know of any corrections that should be made.

Financial Report and Budget/VU Contracts* - Our fiscal agent, Carla Crowe, will present the financial report for the current period. The Revenue/Expense and Grant Breakdown/Current Standing of Remaining Funds reports will be provided to Board members. We will discuss changes to the budget for the period July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

Staff to the Board/One-Stop Operator Report - Rob King will discuss the Regional Plan Mid-Year Update (2024-2027). Rob will also discuss the Proposed Regions Re-alignment and provide an update to Board. Rob will provide the status of the new regional Website. Susan Neal will provide an operational update for the Board. Sam Perkins, JAG Program Manager, will provide an update on JAG Activities.

WorkOne Report – Don Kent, Executive Director of WDS-Region 8, will highlight recent WorkOne activities.

Other Business – Group Discussion – Board members should discuss other current workforce Issues, challenges and questions.

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Adjourn – 1:30pm